AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION:

Please add the following new paragraph after the paragraph beginning on page 1, line 5:

CROSS-REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS

This application claims priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119 to JP 2002-293652 filed in Japan on October 7, 2002, and to JP 2002-369082 filed in Japan on December 20, 2002, the entire contents of which are hereby incorporated by reference.